CENSUS OF **PETERSBURG**

The Enumerators Will Report to the Clerk of the Council Monday.

FOR BALTIMORE

Petersburg to Aid With Material in Rebuilding the Monumental City-Sickness Prevalent.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, VA., March 3 .- Judge Mullen to-day appointed enumerators in compliance with the recent ordinance of the Common Council, providing for a census of the city. The enumerators will report Monday to Mr. G. B. Gill, clerk of the council, and the work will

The appointments follow: Rev. S. O. Wright, First Ward; C. S. Russell, ond Ward; S. A. Welsiger, Third Ward; Parham. Fifth Ward; W. B. Spiers, Sixth Ward.

C. G. Picasants, Fourth Ward; John T. Parham. Fifth Ward; W. B. Spiers, Sixth Ward.

The channel of the Appomattox River is now in a very good condition. Two large barges, loaded with lumber, cleared from the wharves in this city yesterday for Ballimore, consigned to lumber dealers in that city by Mr. Homer Altinson, of Petersburg. Large quantities of lumber will be shipped from this city to Baltimore for building purposes.

A VISTERAN HORSE.

"Cloud," the veleran fire department horse in this city, died to-day. The horse was thirty-four years old and had been in the department twenty-six years.

Six cases of smallpox are reported in the vicinity of Matoaca, and the disease is said to be spreading. There are several cases of diphtheria in Petersburg. There are two cases on Marshall Street and another case developed on North Sycamore Street to-day.

Judge Mullen will hold court in Sussex county to-morrow for Judge West. He was appointed by Governor Montague at the request of Judge West, who was formerly counsel in, several cases now pending in that court.

MUCH SICKNESS.

Mr. George, Mason, the city attorney, has been confined to the house for several was sent confined to the house for several was appointed by Governor Montague. There is a great deal of sickness in petersburg at the present time. Several colds and grip are generally prevalent, and it is hard to find a household in which some of the people are not unwell.

Mr. David V. Parker and Miss Ada Madeline Brown were married in this

Mr. David V. Parker and Miss Ada Madeline Brown were married in this city at half-past 9 o'clock this morning, at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. E. P. Aligood, on Old Street, Rev. George E. Booker performing the ceremony. The pariors were beautifully decorated for the event. The couple will spend their honeymoon in the North.

LANDMARK GOING.

Old House in Ettricks, Formerly Dinwiddie Courthouse.

Olinwiddie Courthouse.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ETTRICK, 'VA., March 3.—"The old courthouse," the oldest, largest, tallent and most conspicuous building in the town, has been purchased by Mr. W. J. Laffoon, a prominent contractor, who is tearing it down, and will utilize the lumber and bricks for other purposes.

This old building so "the oldest inlumber and bricks for other purposes. This old building, so "the oldest inhabitants" say, was the courthouse of Dinwiddle county more than a hundred years ago, and was purchased by the Ettrick's Cotton Mill Company, taken down, brought here, and rebuilt for tenants, when the mill company was first organized about seventy years ago. first organized, about seventy years ago. It is one of the most peculiarly con-structed and out-of-date looking buildstructed and out-of-date looking billings anywhere in this part of the country, and is beyond a doubt, a long time over a hundred years old. Strange to say, the framing and floors and a good portion of the outer timbers are perrectly sound.

FREIGHT WRECK.

A Wood Train Derailed on the Farmville and Powhatan.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
CHESTER, VA., March 3.—An engine,
with twenty cars, loaded with gord wood,
en route to Bermuda, in charge of W. H.
Fowlkes, engineer, was deralled on the
Farmville and Powhatan Railroad, six
miles cast of this place yesterday after-

noon. The engine and twelve cars left the track. Mr. Fowlkes leaped from the engine and was hurt by falling on a stump. No one else was hurt and the engine and ears were replaced on the track and brought for repairs to Chester. Mr. E. N. Ferdue is at home sick with a faver, perhaps only from a cold taken. Soveral members of his family are also temporarily sick. Miss Ruth Perdue is also quite sick from a cold at her motivor's.

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Mrs. Lucy Cogbill, mother of Mr. P. V.
Cogbill, still is confined to her bed, with
no charge for better in her condition.

Dr. Hurt, the new physician here, with
Messrs, S. A. Perdue and A. M. Cheatham, went on a fox hunt to-day.

Hev. Mr. Jordan was unable to meet
his appointments Sunday, on account of
sickness and the bad weather.

Captain James L. Saend, for a long
while has been in poor health, and is
confined to his bed.

Mr. W. H. Thompson is contemplating
moving to his new place here, from
Coxendale, with his family.

Mr. Virginius Cherry has rented a
dwelling here, and expects soon to remove here from Richmond with his
family.

A TEST CASE.

A Farmer Cannot Sell His Own Products If Canned.

Products If Canned.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

DANVILLE, VA., March 3.—George

Daniel, a progressive farmer of Ringgold,
who cans the product of the truck patches
on his farm, has been arrested for selling this canned goods on the streets of
the city. The arrest is simply for the
purpose of testing the laws on the subject. The claim is made that the producer has no right; to peddle his goods
when they have been manufactured into
canned stuffs.

Mayor Wooding has reserved decision
in the case, pending a thorough investigation of the statutes covering the case.
The city commissioner of the revenue
has asked Auditor Marye for his opinion
in the matter.

V. P. I. Schedule.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BLACKSBURG, VA., March 3.—The folowing is the base-ball schedule for V. P. owing is the base-ball schedule for V. P. for this season: March 30, St. Jehn's College, at Blacks-March 31, Oak Ridge Academy, at

Blacksburg,
April 2. open,
April 4, Lehigh University, at Blacksburg,
April 6, Johns Hopkins University, at Blacksburg,
April 7, St. Albans, at Blacksburg,
April 12, Roanoke College, at Roanoke,
April 14, University of Virginia, at
Charlottesville,
April 15, Hampden-Sidney, at Farmville,
April 16, open,
April 18, Richmond College, at Blacksburg,

April 2, Emory and Henry College, at Blacksburg. pril 25, Roanoke College, at Blacks-

burg.
May 7. St. Albans, at Radford.
May 14. Virginia Military Institute, at Blacksburg.
One of the open dates will be filled by Washington and Lee University.

A Stricken Family.

'(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PAMPLIN CITY, VA., March 3.—Mrs.
Baldwin, wife of Cabel Baldwin, who
moved from near here to Lynchburg
about two weeks ago died there yesterabout two weeks ago died there yester-day of pneumonia, and her remains were brought here to-day for burfal. Her hus-band, who is ill with the same disease, is not expected to recover.

MAKE A TEST OF **STATE SUNDAY LAW**

Appeal Fines for Working on the Sabbath to the Circuit Court.

DANVILLE, March 3.-The State Sunday law is to be tested by Bishop & Co., the contractors on the big power dam which they are erecting for the Dan River Power and Manufacturing Company a mile above the city, Another of their workmen was fined to-day by Justices Wimbish, Morefield and White

Justices Wimbish, Moreticid and White this morning for working at the dam on a recent Sunday. An appeal was taken to the Circuit Court of the county, and the remaining fifty-nine cases will be held in abeyance until the higher courts have passed on the question.

It is not understood that the contractors are endeavoring to upset the State law, but they claim they have been doing only necessary work on Sundays and they want the Circuit Court to pass upon their contention. Superintendent Craib said today that he did not see how his company can complete its contract if it is not permitted to do what it considers necessary work on the first day in the week.

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With the above information before you if you go on suffering from the curse of poisoned blood, either primary constitutional or as a result of mercurial treatment, don't rail at fate but simply blame yourself, for here is a cure-absolute and sure. Tainted blood manifests itself in the form of Scrofula. Eczema, Rheumatic Pains, Stiff or swollen Joints, Equitions or Copper-colored Spots on the Face or Body, Little Ulcers in the Moute or on the Tongue, Sore Throat, Swolien Tonsis, Falling out of the Hair or Eyebrows, and finally a Leprous-Like Decay of the Flesh and Bones. If you have any one of these symptoms don't delay till tog into but go to your drugits and get a bottle of

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BUSBY SUIT IS ON TRIAL

Plaintiff in Alleged Conspiracy Case Tells of Transactions With Dawson.

LONG FIGHT IS EXPECTED

Strong Array of Counsel and Every Point Likely to be Contested.

What promises at this time to develop into one of the most highly sensational damage sults tried in Richmond in some time to that of J. H. Busby, the well known Broad Street merchant, against Sol. L. Bloomberg, Luther Dawson and Harry Marks, which was commenced in the Law and Equity Court before Judge John II. Ingram yesterday.

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Mr. Busby is suing the defendants for \$60,000 damages, on the alleged ground of a conspiracy to wreck his business, and to plunder him of his money, after settling with his creditors. The declaration, which has already been printed at longin in The Times-Dispatch, is one of the spiciest documents filed here recently, and a strong array of able lawyers represent the various partles in the case. The battle will be spirited at every stage and it looks now as if the attorneys will and it looks now as if the attorneys wil

and it looks now as it the attorneys will vigorously contest every point.

A large number of witnesses and spectators were on hand when the case was called and in a few moments the following jurors were salected:

Messrs, Eugene Cherry, W. S. Constable, B. T. Crump, Lee Thaw, Franklin Stearns, James T. Sloan and Hampton Fleming.

ton Fleming.
STRONG LAWYERS STRONG LAWYERS,
Messrs. W. L. Royall and B. O. James
appear for Mr. Busby; Messrs. George
Bryan, Allen G. Collins and Charles N.
Williams, for Messrs. Marks and Bloomberg, and Messrs. H. M. Smith and Wise
and Walkins, for Mr. Dawson. Among
the winesses summoned for the plaintiff are: Messrs. T. Emmett Seaton, Jo.
Lane and Cary Ellis Stern, Richard H.
Smith, O. J. Sands, Henry Fleggenhime
and L. B. Tatum.
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The case will likely consume a week or more, though pretty good progress was made on yesterday.

The lawyers made their opening statements, and Mr. Busby was partially examined, though he did not complete his testimony, and will resume when the case is called again to-day.

Mr. Royall was the first speaker, and in outlining his case he was at times exceptionally vigorous. He reviewed the centents of the declaration at some length, and was followed by Mr. Collins, who made the opening statement for his colleagues.

Mr. Smith opened for Mr. Dawson, and he expressed the belief that he would

ne expressed the belief that he would be able on behalf of Mr. Dawson to break down the contentions of the plain-PLAINTIFF ON STAND.

PLAINTIFF ON STAND.

Mr. Busby was then put upon the stand and testified at lergth as to the transactions between himself and Mr. Dawson. He told of his first acquaintance with Dawson, and of how, in 1902, the latter begun to endorse for him. At first witness thou, it well of the young man. He produced a contract between himself and Dawson, giving the latter access to his books, etc. He said he paid Dawson \$27 per month to endorse his paper. He told of how two of his Northern creditors had come in and taken back goods he had purchased from them.

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At this point Mr. Royall handed to wit-

At this point Mr. Royall handed to witness a letter for signature identification. The letter was signed Harry Marks, and was addressed to Thalhelmer, one of the creditors mentioned. The witness recognized the signature.

The letter was then read. In it Marks, under date of June 18th, advised Thalhelmer to put his claim in the hands of Bloomberg, and asked that the letter be regarded as confidential.

The witness testified as to a somewhat similar letter which Lockhelm, the other creditor, had received from Marks.

Witness said on June 22d Dawson had brought papers to him to sign, which he did without reading them. One turned out to be a power of attorney. Others were deeds of trust, etc., to secure advances which Dawson was to make. These papers were admitted, and Mr. Busby proceeded. He will conclude to-day.

DKIEFS

YORKTOWN, VA., March 3.—Judge Tyler has appointed Mr. E. A. Sinclair, if Poquason, to succeed Mr. W. D. Gof-igan on the Electoral Board of York county, Mr. Goffingan refused to serve in the board, as popular as his appoint-nent was held to be.

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WARM SPRINGS, VA.—Mr. J. W. Harper, manager of McClintic & Company's
store here, while chusing dogs that were
stilling sheep fell and a stop penetrated
his leg at the knoccap, non he is now
commed to his bed as a result of the hi-

confined to his bed as a result of the injury.

CHESTNUT, AMHERST COUNTY,
VA.—The Lynchburg Water Company
inter had a force of hands at work clearing away a foundation for their dam,
which they propose to build for the purpose of pining pure mountain water from
Pedier River to this city.

LICESBURG VA.—Mr. John G. Utterback has lost six cows since Curistmas
from what is pronounced hydrophobia by
government experts.

AN EPIDEMIC OF SCARLET FEVER

Morris Neck, Princess Anne County, Is Under Quarantine.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BLOSSOM HILL, VA., March 3.—The
scarlet fever is playing havoe in Morris Neck, near Back Bay waters. Two deaths occurred in one family and one in another. Several new cases have been re-ported to the board of health, who ordered that a strict quarantine be established

ed that a strict quarantine be established in the affected locality.

Guards are on the watch keeping all persons who do not live in that section away, and restraining all who live in the affected district from leaving. The prompt measures may be the means of preventing an epidemic, for the locality in which the disease has started is very thickly setlisease has started is very thickly set

ne county has ordered Dr. Nicholson The county has ordered Dr. Nicholson to take charge of all the cases and will be responsible to him and the guards for all costs. There are several rumors of smallpox being in this section, but the pearest case is ten miles off.



TURKISH CRUISER IN HEAVY BLOW

Rheumatism

Probably Received a Good Shaking Up Outside the Capes.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Murch 3.—A representative of the Cramps Shipbuilding Company arrived at Old Point Comfort to-day, in connection with the Turkish cruiser Medjidig, which has just been completed at the Cramp yard, and which is coining to Hampion Roads for coal. The cruiser was reported as leaving the Delaware breakwater this afternoon at 2 o'clock. She is expected to reach Hampion Roads some time to-night. As a northwest gale is raging outside the capes, the new cruiser undoubtedly will be given a good test before she comes in She is in charge of an American crew.

MERCER MONUMENT.

Splendid Model, Ten Feet High, By Valentine.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., March 3.—
The people of this city are highly pleased with the prospects of soon having here a magnificent monument to the great Revolutionary hero, General Hugh Mercer. The distinguished sculptor, E. V. Valentine, of Richmond, who designed the model, will complete the monument. The statue will be a bronze, ten feet in height, on a granite pedestal fifteen feet high. It represents General Mercer just after he extricates planself from his horse which had fallen, as he defies his antagonists. He is thrown on his right leg in the act of advancing with his left, his right arm thrown back with sword in hand ready for an attack. His left, hand clutches his coat, which is fastened by one button and pulls it down to one side in his attitude of firmness and determination.

He wears the contificatal uniform, with boots and spurs, and, the sword is an exact representation from a photograph of the sword used by Géneral Mercer. The face is given a firm, defiant expression and the long dishevelled hair and the open collar at the throat gives a dash and spirit admirably suited to the character it represents.

Congress has already appropriated \$5,000 for the erection of the monument in this city and it is to be completed within three years, and will be located on Washington Avenue, nearly opposite the handsome old home of Betty Lewis, sister of George Washington.

TO REHABILITATE.

Judge Waddill Allows Issuance of Receiver's Certificates.

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(Snecial to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., March 2-Judge Waddill, of the United States Court, to-day sent an order to Norfolk allowing an issuance of \$200,000 in receivers' certificates for the Bay Shore Line. The \$200,000 issuance will be sold in Philadelphia at ninety-live cents on the dollar to capitalists, who have agreed to come into a reorganization.

The court has also allowed an issuance of \$50,000 in receivers' certificates for the Hampton Roads Railway and Bleetric Company, and has appointed H. H. Little, of Norfolk, as special master in inquire into the advisability of further issuance of certificates for the Company of the Advisability of further issuance of certificates for the completion of the Hampton Roads line all the way-from Phoebus to Old Point Comfort.

WHERE THE CLASH

WILL LIKELY OCCUR

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOICE, VA., March 3.—It looks like the first clash between the Norfolk and Western Railroad and the prospected branch of the Wabash will occur here. Yesterday the ...orfolk and Western put a large force of hands at work on the Belt Line, which was abandoned twoive years ago, after grading.

The survey of the Wabash is over a good portion of the three and a half miles occupied by the Belt Line, and an injunction is probable when track laying begins.

GROFF COMES TO SEE MAJOR CONRAD (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WINCHESTER, VA., March 3.—Samuel A. Groff, one of the alloged postal grafters, who has asked for a new trial, came here yesterday to see Major Holmes Conrad, the government special counsel, who is sick at his home in this city.

Groff spent some time with Major Conrad, but the nature of the interview could not be ascertained. He returned to Washington last night.

REV. HARRY B. LEE

GOES TO BALTIMORE
(Special to The Times-Disputen.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA., March 3.—Rev.
Harry B. Lee has resigned as rector of
Zion Episcopal Church. of this place, and
the Church of the Holy Comforter, of
Vienna, and has accepted a call to St.
Thomas Church, in one of the suburbs of
Baltimore.

TAYLOR WAS NOT THERE

Former President Cleveland Denics Having Entertained the Negro at White House.

SUBJECT OF SOCIAL EQUALITY

Mr. Williams, the Democratic Leader, Scores Mr. Roosevelt for His Example.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 3.—In the House to-day a letter from Grover Cleveland, to Representative Webb, of North Carolina, was read, denying that C. H. J. Taylor, a negro, had dined with him at the White House white he was President, as charged by Representative Scot, of Kansas, a few days ago. Mr. Webb said he had written the former President, sending him an extract from the record, and asking if the statements made by Mr. Scott were true. "This morring," he said, "I received the following reply," which he read amid applause on the Democratic side:

"Princeton, March 2, 1904.

"Hon. E. Y. Webb.

"House of Representatives:

"Dear Sir,—it is a matter of small concern to me that a Mr. Scott has seen fit to use my name in a display of his evil propensities on the floor of the House of Representatives.

"In answer to your inquiry, however, I have to say of his statement that the colored man, C. H. J. Taylor, took lunch with me at the White House, that it is a deliborate fabrication out of the whole cloth.

"As far as Mr. Taylor is concerned. I understand, prior to his appointment as registrar of deeds at Washington, that he had served as an assistant in the office of the city attorney at Kansas City. His nomination as registrar of deeds at Washington, that he had served as an assistant in the office of the city attorney at Kansas City. His nomination as register was confirmed by the Senate, and he served in that place with intelligence and efficiency. He has since died. Some people restrain themselves from abusing the dead.

"My inquiries concerning Mr. Taylor before his appointment, my observation of him during his incumbency, and the little I have known of him since, satisfy me that his character is very urjustly attacked in the diarribe of Mr. Scott. which he doubly clinches with truth when he declares: "Ho was a black negro." I am led, however, to doubt his familiarity with his subject when he adds: 'as black as you ever saw."

"Yours very truly," "Signed "GROVER CLEVELAND."

Not a Fool

Not a rool Friend.

Mr. Webb said he wanted this denial to travel that the statement of Mr. Scott might be overtaken, "Mr. Cleveland was a friend of the negro, but not a fool friend," said Mr. Webb. "He never, by word or act encouraged, the dream of social equality in the breast of the black man."

Democrats.
"Again," he continued, "he was the friend of the colored man, but he was also the friend of the Southern white

friend of the colored man, but he was also the friend of the Southern white man and sympathized with us in our race problems and race burdens, and that, sir, is more than Mr. Roosevelt seemed ever to have done."

Mr. Scott said he accepted the statement of Mr. Cleveland as true and offered his apology to the former President. In justice to himself, said Mr. Scott, he desired to say that he never before heard the report denied.

Mr. Swanson (Virginia) asked Mr. Scott where he had heard the report, to which Mr. Scott replied that he had seen the statement in newspapers. Mr. Swanson asked further for a copy of a newspaper containing the statement Mr. Scott explained that these statements were made several years ago, and the papers might not be easily procured. He said that he had made full apology to Mr. Cleveland. Mr. Scott added that he had made full apology to the first time in four years, applause from the Democratic side. This was loudly applauded upon the majority side of the chamber.

Roosevelt and Booker.

Mr. Williams, the minority leader Booker Washington to carry light of example to the South, which does not be-lieve in social equality. When a question is raised, he said, against the appointment of a negro to positions in the South, the statement is made that there can be no discrimination on account of color, but, continued Mr. Williams, the dministration would not appoint a Chinaman as a postmaster on the Pacific coast if he possessed the ability of Li-Hung-Chang.

Mr. Williams said the whole incident

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A prominent Detroit physician says: "I prescribe Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets for all cases of stomach trouble. I have tried many prescriptions, including a number of my own, but find nothing that gives such universal relief as this remedy. They are a natural antipathy to patent medicines. I do not nesitate to prescribe and reconmend Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets on all occasions.

Buart's Dyspepsia Tablets are for sale Wear, and has accepted a call to St. Vienna, and has accepted a call to St. Vienna, and has accepted a call to St. Vienna, and has accepted a call to St. Palithner.

Palmer—Stedman.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
DANYILLE, VA. March 3.—Professor Affred Palmer and Miss Katherine St. Burnet of the Epiphanny, every port of the Chair Hall. They left on the mininght train for the North for a count of the Michigar State College at that place.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
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ders. Full sleeves are prominent, elaborate trimmings have sway, lace appears at many wrists, and a general sightliness is manifest that has never before been quite

so successfully accomplished.

The fabrics used are as endless as a description of the Suits would be-so here is just a few chapters from a very interesting long story:

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Eton Suits of Blue or Brown Oxfords and Mixtures, Coats are silk lined, Suits are stitched and trim-Eton Blouse Suits of Mixed Gray

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both tastefully stitched and, trimmed with buttons. Military Coat Suit of Navy Cheviot, Coat and Skirt handsomely trimmed with braid and military buttons. At \$25.00

At \$25.00

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Collarless Eton Suit of Light Gray

At \$37.50

At \$27.50

braid and buttons. Eton Blouse Suit of Light Gray Etamine, with cape effect, hand-somely tucked and trimmed; bands of silk and braid medallions on

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Black Suits in fascinating variety, Short Coats and Etons, \$15.00 to \$40.00. Walking Skirts, in newest patterns, Black or Colors,

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ought to be strictly equat politically," and, continuing, said social equality must follow; "but that is not all; the head of your party set the example of social equality in the only manner in which it can be set by inviting a black man to a table."

Mr. Williams said that its the set of the set

can be set by inviting a black man to a table."

Mr. Williams said that if what the President had done was not to carry the light of example, it was done for no purpose at all. "It was an unconscious exhibition," continued the minority leader, "of the arrogance that teaches men now and then to shed the light of example upon the benighted white population of the South." Mr. Williams went on: "Nor am I quarreling with Mr. Roosevelt, nor have I quarreled with him at all. He has a perfect right to invite a colored man if he chooses, but as far as I know he waited until he was President of the United States, so it could bear an official stamp, before he ever did it."

Mr. Scott said he had made no imputation of fault against Mr. Cleveland. Ho had simply pointed to the allegation he made because the Democratic party had gone into hysterics because one man had invited a colored man to his table.

"All right," said Mr. Williams, "I am glad to hear that, because I thought the gentleman had a sharp stick and was after my dear and much adored old friend, Grover Cleveland." (Laughter.)

Purther discussion, was cut short by a point of order.

The House passed the District of Columbia appropriation bill, and took up the Indian appropriation bill before adjournment.

journment.

NAVAL APPROPRIATIONS. Debate on This Bill in Senate Takes Very Wide Range.

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(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, March 3.—For almost four hours to-day the Senate engaged in a discussion which, while technically on the naval appropriation bill, covered a wide range of subjects, including the policy of the United States in the Phillippines and the Indiana of India

Deficient Midshipmen.

MISSION IN **MANCHESTER**

Charitable People May Feed Themselves and Help the Poor.

MAYOR MAURICE SANGUINE

The Board of Aldermen to Meet. The Finance Committee To-night.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street, Mayor Maurice expresses himself as perfectly confident of being able to put up a stiff fight for the mayoralty in the coming canvass.

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His record is one that he points to with pride, and while he is not going to leave any stones unturned he is not worrying about his campaign or his chances. So far as known there is no avowed opposition to him, and it is not certain that there will be any.

CITY MISSION.

A supper will be given at Masonic Temple next Thursday night for the benefit of the City Mission. This body has done much during the winter for the relet of the needy, and there are domains upon the members always for help. The proceeds of this supper will be used. It fund for immediate relet cases, and the larger the fund the more aid can be given. The supper will be a fine one, and there will be plenty or stuff on hand to supply a big crowd.

COURT NOTES.

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John Herbert was sent to jall for ninety days for steading a pair of trousers and other things, and Ed Graves (colored) were sent to jail for sixty days each. DR, Halls and Ed Graves (colored) were sent to jail for sixty days each. DR, Hill. he president of the Board of Health, is not going to let any case of smallpox get into Manchester if he can help it.

Every precaution is being taken, and all persons coming into the city from the sections in which there is smallpox are under surveillance.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The Board of Aldermen will meet at 7:20 of clock to-morrow night to act on the free bridge matter.

The Finance Committee will meet at 8 o'clock to-night.

KALMA KLAN.

That august body, the Kalma Kian, will get together at the Masonic Temple to-night, when an all-fired hot time is expected to be had. The organization is growing rapidly, and has on its list some of the linest fellows in town.

PERSONAL AND NOTES.

Miss Lizzle Faber is visiting friends in Lynchburg.

Mr. R. E. Bradshaw has returned to his home, in Alexandria.

Hestal Conclaye met last night and held an interesting session.

TO REBUILD.

The old Duvai mill, on the river at Bosher's Dam, will probably be built again, A dam may be creek at that place, and commissioners appointed by Judge Clopton will meet at the mill to look the field over.